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Editorial Opinions of the Leading Journals upon Current Topics—Compiled Every Day for the Evening Telegraph.

FRENCH IMMIGRATION.

From the N. Y. Tribune. It has been said that the French are an unprofitable and, therefore, a non-emigrating people; but, whatever may be their natural inclination, the late war will probably compel a considerable exodus, especially from those departments that have borne the brunt of the strife.

We learn that a movement in this direction is now contemplated in our city. It is proposed to raise by subscription a sufficient fund to purchase a large tract of land; to move a colony or colonies to it; to loan the colonists means to make first improvements, and, if necessary, sustain them until harvest; repayment of all outlay, with interest, to be secured by a lien upon the lands.

Our judgment is that in Virginia or North Carolina such conditions may be found as well as, if not better than, elsewhere; and having the further advantage of being within thirty-six hours of New York.

PARIS AND FRANCE—WHAT NEXT?

Paris continues in absolute possession of the Jacobin mob. If since the butcheries of Sunday night no further assassinations are reported, it is because all resistance to the "reds" has disappeared. Within the city walls they have unqualified liberty, equality, fraternity, and the aspects of nature, things, which means unbounded license, debauchery and spoliation.

Such is the state of things in Paris. The capital of France is under the control of a hating mob, the elements of which have nothing to lose and much to gain from the overthrow of law, order, and the rights of property.

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imperial army from Germany, would be at once reinstated. But the Emperor William does not appear to be in the least degree concerned about these revolutionary disorders in France.

The Germans, we are convinced, are perfectly indifferent concerning these internal disorders in France. They do not care whether law and order are completely re-established in or are completely driven out of France.

It will be observed that even these sans culottes and gentlemen of the pavement of Paris have a glimmering of this thing in their position to respect the treaty stipulations with Germany.

WHO IS TO HAVE FRANCE? From the N. Y. Times. In the French Assembly, on Monday, the President, M. Grévy, took occasion to "denounce" the insurrection in Paris.

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let loose on the land, and chaos takes the place of a firm government.

Such will be the reflections of some millions of persons in France, and although it would be easy to show that the very disorders which we are witnessing now are partly the results of Napoleon's system of government—his despotic rule, his demoralizing the labor market, in the way we have pointed out in another article on Tuesday—still the state of feeling we describe will be a potent factor in the political complications now at work.

It is equally clear that a State Legislature, the State of Maryland, for example, cannot punish those who, in another State, conceal a felony committed in Maryland.

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REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL AND PERSONAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust executed to the undersigned, on the 13th day of November, A. D. 1869, by the Tucker Creek Oil and Mining Company of West Virginia, to secure the payment of a certain debt, therein described, due to Frederick Fairbrother, amounting to \$1000, with interest from the 13th day of November, 1869, which deed is recorded in the Recorder's office of Wirt county, West Virginia, in Deed Book No. 9, page 522, I will, ON THE 31st DAY OF MARCH, 1871 (that being the second Monday of the month), at the front door of the Court House of Wirt county, West Virginia, proceed to sell to the highest bidder, by public auction, for cash in hand, the following real and personal property in said deed mentioned, to wit:—All that certain tract of land situate, lying, and being in the county of Wirt and State of West Virginia, about one mile west of the Court House of Wirt county, containing THREE HUNDRED AND NINETY-EIGHT ACRES OF LAND, known as the Tucker Creek Oil and Mining Company's Farm.

Also, one other certain tract of land situate on the waters of Syon Camp Run, and left hand fork of Tucker's Creek, in the county of Wirt and State of West Virginia, containing EIGHT HUNDRED AND THIRTEEN ACRES of land, more or less, being the same tract of land conveyed to the said Tucker Creek Oil and Mining Company, by Nelson J. Nickerson and wife, by deed bearing date on the 8th day of June, 1869; both of said deeds are of record in the Office of the Recorder of Wirt county, West Virginia, in Deed Book No. 9, pages 295 and 301.

BLACK HAWK GOLD MINING COMPANY OF NEW YORK. AUCTION SALE BY TRUSTEES. Notice is hereby given that we, the undersigned, BENJAMIN WHITE, Trustee, of the City of Providence, in the State of Rhode Island, under and in execution of the powers in us vested by the deed of trust executed to us by said Black Hawk Gold Mining Company, bearing date on the twenty-eighth day of May, A. D. 1865, and duly recorded, will sell at PUBLIC AUCTION at the Exchange Room, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New York, on the eleventh day of May, 1871, at 12 o'clock noon, all the estate, lands, quartz lode mining claims, mines, minerals, mining rights and interests, and all rights, water-concessions, and water-rights and privileges, water-wheels, tunnels, ditches, furnaces, engines, steam-powers, tools, machinery, and property, real, personal, or mixed, of said Black Hawk Gold Mining Company, situate in the County of Gilpin, in the Territory of Colorado, and conveyed to us in and by the deed of trust aforesaid, and all the interest and title of said Company therein.

Reference is hereby made, as a part of this notice, and for a full description of said estate and property, to said deed of trust, which may be examined at the office of W. H. Whittingham, No. 11 Wall street, New York City.

EXECUTOR'S SALE—ESTATE OF WILLIAM HARPER, deceased.—Thomas & Sons' Auctioneers. On Tuesday, April 18, 1871, at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, the following described property, viz:—

No. 1. Valuable Business Location, three story brick dwelling, with side yard, No. 221 E. Passyunk avenue, corner of Marriot street, two fronts, 4 1/2 feet front. All that modern and substantially built three-story brick messuage, with three-story back buildings and lot, situate at the northeast corner of Passyunk and Marriot street; the lot containing in front on Passyunk avenue 45 feet 3 inches, and extending in depth from Marriot street 119 feet 3/4 of an inch, and on the other line 93 feet 6 1/2 inches. The house is 29 feet 9 inches front on Passyunk avenue, and extends 40 feet 6 inches to the rear, with a handsome side garden, filled with choice fruit trees, grape vines, and flowers.

No. 2. Well-secured Ground Rent, \$900 a year. All that well-secured ground rent of \$900 a year, payable annually on the 1st day of January, and secured by a mortgage on the northeast corner of Bainbridge and Guilford streets; secured by a public school-house, and payable by the city through the Board of Public Works, subject to all warrants for ground-rents to be paid when due without delay.

No. 3. Eight Building Lots, Pavonia, N. J. All those 8 building lots, each 30 feet front by 100 feet deep, situate on the East River, Land Street, and land, north of Camden, State of New Jersey. Plan can be seen at the auctioneer's office and on the day of sale. See plan.

No. 4. Stocks. 1 share Pavonia Land Association. 8 shares Insurance Company of the State of Pennsylvania. 20 shares Iron Mining Company of the State of Nevada. 40 shares Honey Comb Petroleum Company. 100 shares Sugar Dale Oil Company. 100 shares Oil Exchange Petroleum Company. 9000 shares in the Dallas Oil Company. Lot No. 203, section (J) in the Philadelphia Cemetery.

PUBLIC SALE—THOMAS & SONS, AUCTIONEERS.—Desirable Country Estate, with Stable and Coach House, River, Burlington county, New Jersey, on the line of the Camden and Amboy Railroad, 13 miles above Camden, and two minutes' walk from the Camden River Ferry, and about Land- ing. On Tuesday, April 18, 1871, at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, a most desirable 2 1/2-acre brick rough-cast mansion, situate at the northeast corner of Lafayette avenue and Kosuth street, Riverside, Burlington county, New Jersey; the lot containing 30 feet in front on Lafayette avenue, and extending in depth along Kosuth street 87 feet 1/2 of an inch. At the depth of 151 feet it widens to 109 feet, and contains in depth the site of what was once a quarry and fishing race at hand; the roads and driving in the vicinity; 11 trains to and from the city daily pass the premises. Photograph can be seen at the auction room, situate at a public house and further particulars, inquire of Edward A. Heinz, No. 429 Walnut street, Philadelphia. Immediate possession. Will be shown by M. Thomas, and the premises. Terms—One-half of the purchase money can remain.

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FINANCIAL.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA. NOTICE TO CREDITORS. Please take notice that the undersigned has filed a petition in the Court of Common Pleas for the City and County of Philadelphia, for the benefit of the Insolvent Laws of this State, and that the said Court have appointed THURSDAY, the 30th day of March, 1871, at the County Court House, as the time and place for the hearing of the said petition, and where the creditors of the undersigned may attend, should they deem proper.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 25, 1871.

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